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Review of technical assistance needs

**Overview of technical assistance requests made by States
through the questionnaires/checklist on the implementation
of the United Convention against Transnational Organized
Crime and the Protocols thereto**

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Group of African States									
Algeria				X	X	X	X		
Benin					X			X	
Burundi	X				X			X	Financial resources to enable the participation of delegates in the Conference of the Parties
Cameroon	X	X		X					
Central African Republic								X	Printing of legislation
Chad	X			X					
Comoros				X					
Congo					X	X			
Egypt					X				
Gabon	X				X	X		X	Equipment needed for a reliable communication system
Madagascar	X	X		X	X	X		X	- Assessment of national legislation and operational capacities - Assistance in printing and disseminating new laws
Mali	X				X			X	Need for adequate equipment

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Mauritius				X					
Namibia	X				X	X			
Niger	X				X	X		X	
Sao Tome and Principe	X			X	X				
Senegal								X	Assistance needed to finance the work of the Committee in charge of the reform of the Penal Code and the Code of Criminal Procedure
Togo								X	
Group of Asian States									
Cambodia	X								
Indonesia	X				X			X	Lack of resources and access to modern technology
Malaysia					X	X			
Myanmar					X	X			
Philippines				X	X				
Tajikistan	X		X						Need to establish a database of crimes committed in the country
Group of Latin American and Caribbean States									
Costa Rica				X					
Ecuador	X			X	X				
El Salvador		X			X	X			
Guatemala		X		X	X	X			
Honduras					X				
Nicaragua				X					

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Group of Eastern European States									
Romania					X			X	Provision of videoconference equipment
Group of Western European and Other States									
Sweden						X			
Trafficking in Persons Protocol									
Group of African States									
Algeria				X	X	X	X		
Benin								X	
Burkina Faso					X				
Cameroon	X			X	X				
Chad	X				X				
Egypt					X				
Guinea	X								
Madagascar				X					
Mauritius				X					
Niger	X				X	X			
Nigeria						X			
Togo								X	
United Republic of Tanzania							X	X	
Group of Asian States									
Indonesia					X			X	
Philippines	X								

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Sri Lanka			X			X			Sharing of data and information concerning persons taking part in trafficking in persons and the vessels used for that purpose
Thailand							X		Stressed the importance of prevention
Group of Latin American and Caribbean States									
Brazil						X			
Chile					X	X			
Dominican Republic				X					
Ecuador				X	X				
El Salvador					X		X		
Jamaica		X		X					
Panama		X							Need to promote a national discussion on the establishment of specific offences related to trafficking in persons
Group of Eastern European States									
Latvia						X			
Republic of Moldova	X								

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Group of Western European and Other States									
Cyprus						X			
Spain		X	X			X	X		- Need to promote ratification by countries of origin and transit - Study on trafficking routes would be useful
Smuggling of Migrants Protocol									
Group of African States									
Algeria	X								
Burkina Faso					X				
Cameroon	X			X					
Central African Republic				X				X	Printing and dissemination of the Penal Code and the Code of Criminal Procedure
Chad	X								
Congo					X				
Egypt					X	X	X		Need for adequate equipment to uncover paper falsifications, especially concerning passports
Guinea	X								
Madagascar				X					

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Namibia	X								
South Africa				X					
Togo								X	
Zimbabwe				X					
Group of Asian States									
Indonesia				X					
Malaysia						X			Intelligence-sharing
Maldives				X	X	X			
Tajikistan	X								
Thailand					X	X		X	
Group of Latin American and Caribbean States									
Ecuador	X	X		X	X	X			
El Salvador				X	X	X	X		
Guatemala		X		X	X	X			
Panama			X						
Jamaica				X					
Firearms Protocol									
Group of African States									
Algeria				X	X	X			
Chad	X			X					
United Republic of Tanzania					X			X	Need assistance in marking of firearms

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Zimbabwe			X		X				- Public-awareness programmes - Assistance needed in record keeping on and marking, tracing and destruction of firearms
Group of Latin American and Caribbean States									
Costa Rica		X		X	X	X			
Ecuador	X			X		X			
Grenada				X	X				
Guatemala						X			
Honduras					X				Need for a more effective firearms identification system
Paraguay			X		X			X	
Saint Kitts and Nevis				X					
Group of Eastern European States									
Albania	X								
Croatia								X	